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## BETHEL COUPLE MARRIED 50 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Cummings entertained at their home on Vernon Street Tuesday afternoon and evening in observance of the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. They were married in Bethel Jan. 23, 1890, and have lived in Bethel nearly all of the 50 years since that date.

They have had seven children, six of whom are living. There are also 16 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings received telephone calls, a shower of over 70 cards, many gifts including a number of pieces of money, and a wedding cake from Mrs. Wallace Clark.

Those who were present and called: Mr. and Mrs. Earle Cummings and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bartlett and family, Mrs. Maude Harrington and children, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, Ray Cummings, Lee Hutchins, Mrs. Lena Shaw, Calvin Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Hanscom, Rev. M. A. Gordon, Mrs. Guy Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Marshus Philbrick and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cross and family, Mrs. D. Grover Brooks, Arthur Cross, Mrs. Mildred Wilbur, Mrs. Alister Lowe, Mrs. Bernice Spearin, Walter Lord, Miss Ada Bean, Mrs. Albert Morton.

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## GOULD VS. ALUMNI SATURDAY

Because of the mid-year examinations the game this week will be played on Saturday night, the girls' preliminary starting at 7:15 and the boys' game at 8:30.

The Gould-Alumni game has always been a real battle and with the former stars practicing hard this year's encounter should prove another game well worth seeing. The Old Timers have a wealth of material to pick from with Stanley Allen a center; Don Stanley, Charley Smith and Parker Brown forwards; and fine guards in Dick Davis, Don Brown, Stanley Brown, and Addison Saunders. Others who are out with the squad are Onofrio, Dick Young, D. Morrill, Don Holt and Herb Foote. There is also a rumor that Brooks McFarland, hero of Gould's 1938 tourney game with Fryeburg, will be on hand to play also.

The Alumnae will meet the Gould girls at 7:15 and indications are that the "has-beens" will put up a rugged battle this year.

"Buck" Spinks will be on hand to officiate the boys' game.

## LOCAL FINNISH FUND NOW OVER \$100

The local campaign for Finnish Relief Funds ended on Sunday, Jan. 21. Any person who did not have an opportunity to contribute who desires to do so may, however, forward his contribution to the Citizen, and it will be sent to Finnish Relief headquarters.

Below is given a summary of the Bethel drive.

Collected by Boy Scouts, \$39.82  
Unsolicited contributions, 13.00  
Deposited in boxes, 5.31

Total amount contributed, \$108.13

Through the co-operation of the Citizen office and the Boy Scouts no expense was incurred, and the entire amount of \$108.13 was forwarded through the Citizen to Finnish Relief headquarters.

Everyone has been very cooperative in the drive for Finnish Relief funds, and I wish to thank those who have helped in any way in the campaign.

Gerard S. Williams  
Bethel Chairman, Finnish Relief

## HEBRON WINS EXCITING MEET FROM GOULD HERE SATURDAY

Due to icy conditions prevailing at Hebron, the dual meet planned for there Saturday was transferred to Bethel. Almost ideal snow conditions helped to produce an exciting meet in this first meeting of the two teams.

Hebron was outstanding in the jumping and cross-country events while the Gould boys copped most of the points in the slalom and downhill races. The best performances were turned in by Merrill and Olson of Hebron and Baker of Gould. Merrill won both the jumping and cross-country, the latter with a time of 16.23 while Olson set a new hill record in the jumping. Baker scored heavily for the locals by placing first in both the slalom and downhill races.

The summary:

Slalom			
Baker	G	23.7 sec.	100.0
B. Brown	G	29.0	99.0
Runyon	G	29.1	98.6
Webber	H	30.6	93.8
Morse	H	30.8	93.2
Merrill	H	31.5	91.1
R. Brown	H	33.9	84.6
Bull	G	44.5	64.5

Downhill			
Baker	G	21.5 sec.	100.0
Merrill	H	21.6	99.5
Cummings	G	23.1	93.1
Morse	H	23.8	90.3
Olson	H	23.9	90.0
E. Brown	G	24.0	89.6
Runyon	G	24.6	87.4
Marsh	H	25.3	85.0

Cross-Country			
Merrill	H	16.22	100.0
Olson	H	17.22	94.2
Webber	H	18.20	89.3
Baker	G	18.24	88.9
Cummings	G	19.03	86.9
Bull	G	19.37	83.4
Morse	H	19.57	82.0
Adams	G	20.07	81.3

Jumping			
Merrill	H	36.5 34.0—70.5	100.0
Olson	H	36.0 34.0—70.0	99.3
Morse	H	25.5 36.0—61.5	87.2
Shoppie	H	27.5 25.5—53.0	75.2
Cummings	G	23.0 28.5—51.5	73.1
Haley	G	30.5 18.5—49.0	69.9
Total points: Hebron			398.6
Gould			368.5

## STEPHENS HIGH CHAMPIONS WESTERN MAINE

The Western Maine District Interscholastic Winter Sports Meet was held at Rumford Saturday, Stephens High School of that town winning the event with 80½ points. Other teams ranked as follows: Edward Little H. S., Auburn, 66½; Lewiston, 47; Norway, 42; South Paris, 13; Mexico, 10.

Miss Louise A. Rubino of the Senior class was crowned queen of the Stephens H. S. Sno-Vent Saturday evening at the school auditorium. She was attended by the three other queen candidates: Miss Frances Kowalzyk, Miss Eva Carrier, and Miss Marion Gauthier.

## MRS. FRANK STEVENS

Mrs. Edna Stevens, wife of Frank Stevens of South Bethel, died at 11:30 p. m., Thursday at the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, where she was rushed Thursday after she had received severe burns when her clothing became ignited while starting a fire.

She was born in Leeds, May 11, 1875 the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Libby. She has lived in Bethel 36 years, coming here from Richmond.

She is survived by her husband, three sons, Elmer, Clyde and Archie; one daughter, Mrs. Nelson Whitman, and several grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Greenleaf's funeral home Sunday afternoon, Rev. M. A. Gordon officiating. Burial was at Locke Mills.



GERARD S. WILLIAMS

## WILLIAMS ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY

Gerard S. Williams has recently announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for representative to the Legislature.

He came to Bethel in 1934 from Lewiston where he was associated with his brother in the practice of law, is a native of Jay, Maine, and was graduated from Wilton Academy and Suffolk Law School.

He has served as assessor of Bethel Village Corporation, Master of Bethel Grange, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and Scoutmaster, the two latter of which offices he now holds.

As a member of the 89th Legislature among the bills introduced by him which were enacted into law was an act providing that a person must be a citizen of the United States in order to receive old age assistance. This act caused considerable debate in both the House and the Senate.

## TWADDLE-KEOGH ENGAGEMENT

Dr. and Mrs. John J. Keogh of Philadelphia announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Marie Keogh, to John Adam Twaddle, son of Dr. and Mrs. Widdie Brown Twaddle of Bethel.

Miss Keogh is a graduate of the Philadelphia High School for Girls and studied medical illustration at Temple University School of Medicine when she finished her training in fine arts. She has a wide circle of friends in Lewiston and Portland as she served as handicraft councillor at Camp Pequassawasis in Poland.

Mr. Twaddle was graduated from Gould Academy and from Hebron. He was an Alpha Delta Phi at Bowdoin and received his degree from Boston University. At present he is president of the first year class at Boston University School of Medicine.

## BETHEL AND VICINITY

Harry Carter has been quite sick the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Taylor were in Portland Saturday.

Philip Smith of Oxford was calling on friends in town Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Hamlin of Portland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamlin.

## NOTICE

To avoid the possibility of an accident during snow removal the public are urged not to park their cars longer than necessary in the streets, especially at night and during storms.

Road Commissioner

## RUMFORD CARNIVAL TO BE HELD FEB. 3-4

The Chisholm Skiing and Outing Club, who have sponsored for the last 17 years one of the biggest and best carnivals in Eastern United States, are to sponsor this year the State of Maine Ski Championships, to be held at Rumford Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 3 and 4.

The State of Maine Ski Championships is the only carnival held in the State of Maine which is sanctioned by the U. S. Eastern Amateur Ski Association. At this meet the championships of the following will be decided:

State of Maine Slalom  
State of Maine Down-Hill Race  
Class A and B Ski Jumping  
Class C Ski Jumping (State of Maine)

State of Maine Cross-Country (11½ miles)

Awards will be given for the above events and other awards for a combined event. This is taken from old Norwegian meets following proficiency in more than one event, namely, to skiers who compete in both the jumping and cross-country race where the results of both are tallied and the highest average names the winner.

## SURPRISE PARTIES TENDERED MRS. LESLIE DAVIS

Mrs. Leslie Davis was given a surprise party in honor of her birthday Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Austin. The party was planned by Miss Ida Packard and Mrs. Austin. Flinch and whist were enjoyed and refreshments including a birthday cake were served. Gifts were presented to the honor guest from the group. For whist, the first prize was won by Mrs. Harry Jordan and Mrs. Earl Davis received the consolation prize. For flinch, Mrs. Grover Brooks won the prize for high score and Mrs. Herbert Bean received the consolation prize.

Those present besides the guest of honor and the hostesses were Mrs. Edward Lyon, Mrs. Winfield Howe, Mrs. Herbert Bean, Mrs. D. Grover Brooks, Mrs. Harry Jordan, Mrs. Myron Scarborough, Mrs. Arnold Brown, Mrs. Guy Rice, Mrs. Linwood Lowell, Mrs. Earl Davis, Mrs. Norman Hall, and Mrs. Gerard Williams.

On Wednesday evening Mrs. Davis was honor guest at a surprise party given by members of the Ladies' Aid at the home of Mr. Harry E. Jordan. During the evening Mrs. Leroy Hamlin read an original poem and flinch and Chinese checkers were played. Mrs. Davis received many gifts. Ice cream and birthday cake were served.

Present were Mrs. H. I. Bean, Mrs. Bernice Spearin, Mrs. Frances Cook, Mrs. Fannie B. Lovejoy, Mrs. Gilbert Brown, Mrs. Elsie Potter, Mrs. Hugh Thurston, Mrs. M. A. Gordon, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Erwin Hutchinson, Mrs. H. E. Jordan, Mrs. Norman Hall, Mrs. Perry Lapham, Mrs. Leroy Hamlin, Mrs. Guy Swan, Mrs. Cliff Merrill, Mrs. Earl Davis and the guest of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hewey of Errol, N. H., spent Wednesday in town.

Mrs. Elsie Potter and daughter Arlene have returned from Portland.

William Worthing of Skillings-ton was very ill last week and is still confined to his bed.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince Hayden of Gardiner were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Taylor.

Miss Pauline Dean, who has been a patient at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, returned home last Friday. Mrs. John Anderson has been in very poor health for several weeks. Miss Eugenia Haselton is assisting her.

## FIRST LOSS FOR GOULD 31-30

Gould Academy went down to its first defeat of the season in a sensational game at South Paris last Friday 31-30. The team got off to a bad start and were behind 10 to 2 before they could collect a field goal. The game started off well enough with Palmer sinking two free throws but Paris retaliated with five baskets before Gould could again score, leaving the count 10-4 as the stanza ended. The second period was a nip-and-tuck battle with each team scoring 10 points and with the score 20-14 at the half, the victors maintained their six point advantage.

In the third period with some nice team work and timely basket-tossing by Wentzel, Palmer and Tucker, the "Blue and Gold," brought the score up to 25-26 against them. Early in the final chapter the local quint went into a lead. From there on it was a sensational battle with the score tied a number of times and first one team a point ahead and then the other. With Gould leading 30-29 and a minute to go Daniels picked up a loose ball and tossed the basket that won the game 31-30. For South Paris Daniels and Durgin were outstanding on the offense, with Peterson playing a great defensive game. For Gould Wentzel and Palmer led the scoring but both Tucker and Hutchins played fine defensive games.

GOULD (30)			
Wentzel, rf	5	1	11
Swan, lf	1	0	2
Young, lf	0	0	0
Palmer, c	5	3	13
Tucker, rg	2	0	4
Hutchins, lg	0	0	0
Brown, lg	0	0	0
	13	4	30

SOUTH PARIS (31)			
Munce, rf	2	2	6
Daniels, lf	6	0	12
Peterson, c	1	2	4
Heald, rg	0	0	0
Durgin, lg	4	0	8
Perry, lg	0	1	1
	13	5	31

Referee: "Buck" Spinks. Time: 4 eights.

Score by periods:			
Gould	4	14	25 30
SO. PARIS	10	20	26 31

## GULEAD MAY HAVE YOUNGEST POSTMASTER

Miss Shirley M. Cole, 23, of Gilead, who has just received her official appointment as postmaster at that office from Postmaster General James A. Farley, claims to be the youngest postmaster in the United States.

Miss Cole was an honor graduate of Gould Academy in 1934. She attended Westbrook Junior College, Portland, where she participated in many outside activities including basketball, tennis and skiing. In 1935 she was chosen Carnival Queen, graduated in 1936, and later attended Farmington Normal School. Miss Cole has had two years experience at Camp Hittinowa, Litchfield, where she was an instructor in tennis and archery. She has since been associated in business at Gilead with her father, the late C. H. Cole, whom she succeeds at postmaster, and her brother, Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirk and Mrs. Mary Wilson left this Thursday morning to spend some time in Florida.

Seymour Butters and family have moved from the Naimen Building to the rent of Fred Gorman on Mason Street.

Mrs. Ralph Berry and daughter Glenyce left Thursday for Dedham, Mass., to spend three weeks with Mrs. Berry's father, Harry Eldredge.



## People and Spots in the Late News



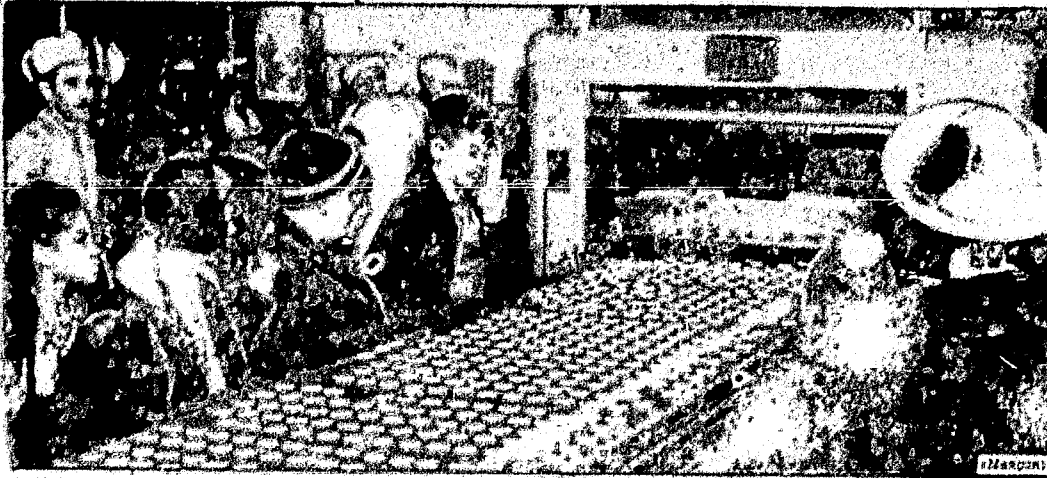
**HAT A-WHIRL**... Gray felt, whirl-stitched in brown, has been used for this smart new "bowler" type bonnet modeled by Gloria Dickson of the films. It's trimmed with brown net veiling and loops of velvet ribbon.



**'NO. 10' ON FRONT**... Having a little fun behind the front, British Tommies in France put up a sign "No. 10 Downing Street" (London residence of Prime Minister) over makeshift hut as they whip up a lunch in improvised frying pan.



**ROSE TOURNEY QUEEN**... Margaret Huntley, 18-year-old Pasadena beauty, picked to reign over Tournament of Roses Parade. A co-ed at Pasadena Junior College, she's five-feet-six, weighs 112, has dark hair and blue-gray eyes.

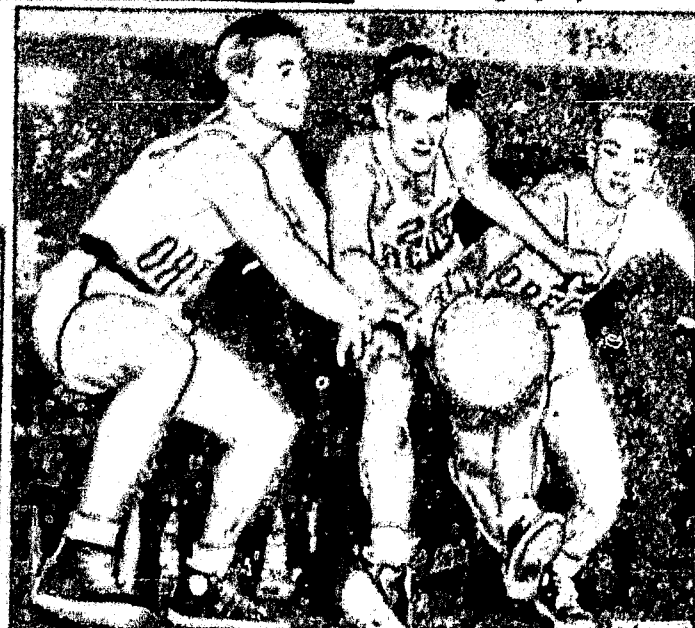


**DREAM COMES TRUE**... More than 500 underprivileged Brooklyn kiddies pinched themselves out found they were wide awake in candy factory as world's largest food chain played host at holiday feast. Part of group, which consumed many pounds of sweetmeats, shown here lined up along moving belt carrying mint patties under chocolate stream.



**FAIR TO FAIR**... Gets in New York glass vanity mirror subway cars and sure they are at

Newest note in taxicab gad-installation of polished plate following trend by a luxe to help feminine fares make fastest



**WEBFEET FLY HIGH**... University of Oregon basketballers, National Collegiate A. A. champions for 1939, as well as Pacific Coast conference champs, opened heavy schedule with thrilling overtime battle with Long Island U. in Madison Square Garden, New York, losing, 55 to 58. Shown in practice scramble are, left to right, Parley Andrews, Ted Sarno and Red McNeely.

## WEST PARIS

William Morgan is recovering from an appendicitis operation at the C. M. G. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis S. Curtis are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Sunday morning, at Mrs. Roy Perham's. She has been named Iveline June.

Mrs. Ellsworth D. Curtis is very ill. Her son, Junior, has arrived from Florida and her daughter, Mrs. Everett Blake, from Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Betty Mann was hostess Tuesday to the Club Mrs. Helen Smith and Mrs. Alice Haines were substitutes. High score was won by Mrs. Della Penley.

Mrs. Mabel Dean is attending Lecturers' Conference at Augusta this week. She went in company with Mrs. Howe from Bryant Pond. The 3rd and 4th degree teams went to Bethel Grange and worked the degrees for two candidates.

Zilpha Harrows was home from a hospital in Portland Saturday. She has finished her course in nurse training in Concord, N. H. and has been working with a truck for past three months.

Fred Waterhouse is convalescing from his recent illness.

George Jackson is getting better from a bad cold which laid him up for a week or two. Mrs. Jackson also has been suffering from a burst vein on one ankle.

Pastor Harold A. Libby will have for his subject next Sunday morning at the United Parish Church "Help in time of trouble." Supt. Edmunds plans to have a special feature each Sunday in the opening service Sunday evening service will be opened by fifteen minutes of music by the church orchestra.

Subject of the evening talk will be, "Jesus and His enemies." Monday evening the Fellowship group will meet at the parsonage. Wednesday evening prayer service at the chapel will be followed by an orchestra rehearsal Thursday afternoon at 8:30. February 1st, the W. C. T. U. will meet with Rev. E. B. Forbes Friday evening, Feb. 2nd, the Help-

ing Hands class will meet at the Parsonage for a business meeting, work in the afternoon and an oyster supper at six followed by business and a program.

George Forbes Jr. and brother, Alice Forbes, came home for over Sunday from the lumber camp near Success Pond on the New Hampshire line, where they have been working with a truck for the past two weeks.

The Fellowship Group held a Gentlemen's night at Doris Stetson's home with a supper and social last Thursday night.

Shirley Welch is home from the hospital. She and her father are getting better from their recent illness but not able to be out yet.

## WEST PARIS FRIENDLY CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS

The Friendly Class of the Universalist Church was entertained Thursday by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, assisted by Mrs. Ella Nicolson. A social afternoon was enjoyed playing charades. After the devotional meeting, led by the pastor, Rev. Eleanor Forbes, the annual business meeting took place as follows:

President—Rev. E. B. Forbes  
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Mildred Davis  
Sec.—Mrs. Phila Mayhew  
Treas.—Mrs. Alice Gammon  
Lookout Committee—Greenwood St., Mrs. Ethel Penley; Pioneer St., Mrs. Clara Gordon; Mrs. Jacobson; Maple St., Fannie Haines; Pearl Welch; Church and Park St., Dora Jackson; Phila Mayhew; Geneva Tuell.

Entertainment committee for February—Mrs. H. R. Tuell, Mrs. H. W. Chapman, Mrs. Maud Day, Mrs. Clara Gordon; March—Mrs. Helen Smith, Mrs. Abbie Abbott, Mrs. Mabel Mann, Mrs. Mabel Radcliff, Mrs. Eva Lane, Mrs. Ida Hadley; April—Mrs. Mildred Davis, Mrs. Ethel Penley, Mrs. Marjorie Chase; May—Mrs. Jessie Andrews, Mrs. Annie Davis, Mrs. Inez Emery, Mrs. Mina Baker, Mrs. Winnie Ridgely; June—Mrs. Della Penley, Mrs. Phila Mayhew, Mrs. Dora Jackson, Mrs. Alice Gammon; September—Mrs. Dora Emery, Mrs. Pearl Welch, Mrs. Fannie Haines; October—Mrs. Beattie Dunham, Myrtle Bonney, Roxie Inman; November—Mrs. Edna Barre, Mrs. Emma Smith, Mrs. Marion Mayhew.

## UPTON

A special meeting of Upton Grange, No. 404, was called for Wednesday evening, Jan. 17, to install the officers. A deputation from Franklin Grange came for that purpose. Everett Davis was installing officer with Mrs. Rena Howe as marshal and Beatrice Hathaway and Margaret Howe as regalia and emblem bearers. The following officers were installed: Master—Fred S. Judkins; Steward—Cedric A. Judkins; Chaplain—Bertha L. Judkins; Treasurer—Arlene E. Judkins; Secretary—Jennie L. Judkins; Gate Keeper—Frank Vail; Ceres—Mary A. Vail; Pomona—Sylvia Barnett. The remaining officers were kept away by sickness or cold weather. Oyster stew, cake and coffee were served.

Fred S. Judkins walked 10 miles from Barnett's camp to be present at the Grange installation, returning after the meeting.

Master John Phillip, son of Rev. and Mrs. John Manter, has been ill the past 10 days.

## WEST PARIS HIGH SCHOOL

Principal Millett has announced the honor roll for the second term of school. Those receiving all A's are Susie Ellingwood, Olga Lillimatta, Helmi Pulkkinen.

Those receiving all A's and B's are Lucile Andrews, Frances Buck, Helmi Cummings, Phyllis Flavin, Edith Kenniston, Elvi Komulainen, Elvi Lillimatta, Zilpha Morgan, Muriel Emery, Anna Rosenberg.

Potter Academy will play both W. P. H. S. teams in the home Gym Friday, Jan. 26. The girls game will start at 7:30.

On January 30 Bryant Pond High School will play W. P. H. S. in the home Gym.

## GREENWOOD CITY

Miss Fay Morgan spent the weekend with relatives at West Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan attended the Legion meeting at Locke Mills on Friday evening.

Mrs. Lewis Britton of Freeport called on her father, Ernest Cole, on Monday.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Morgan, who have been ill with bad colds, are able to return to their school.

Galen and Fred Curtis were in Lisbon Falls on Tuesday.

Ernest Curtis, who has been ill with pleurisy is much better.

The Greenwood City School gave their donation for Finnish Relief this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Curtis and daughter of Mechanic Falls called on his father and brothers Sunday.

Miss Lillian Miettinen and Miss Ruth Morgan, who write letters for the Student Exchange, received letters from Costa Rica and Canada. Others have written to Brazil, Argentina, and Peru, South America, but as yet have had no answers.

These letters are written as part of their English work and to encourage friendships with other countries. Students from the more undeveloped countries have, in many instances, a hard time to obtain money to buy the necessary postage to answer these letters and it sometimes causes a delay. These destitute students in most cases make very interesting correspondents and outline their conditions and ways of living in a very interesting manner.

Comrades Conrad Larsson and Bill Leavitt, of the Norwegian, Little Blackquill, and indeed!

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## BRYANT'S MARKET

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**ORANGES** 8 lb. Mesh Bag 29c  
**GRAPEFRUIT** 10 lb. Mesh Bag 39c  
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**FRIDAY-SATURDAY**  
Short Shank  
**SMOKED SHOULDERS** lb. 15c  
**LAMB RIB CHOPS** lb. 29c  
**SOUP BONES** lb. 12c - 15c  
Macaroni and Cheese  
**L O A F** lb. 23c  
Fresh Ground  
**H A M B U R G** lb. 15c  
Sunkist — Large  
**NAVEL ORANGES** doz. 33c  
Cape Cod  
**CRANBERRIES** lb. 15c  
Andy Boy  
**PASCAL CELERY** bch. 20c

**Baker's VANILLA** 2 oz. 25c  
**WHEATENA** 22 oz. pkg. 23c  
Nestle's Semi-Sweet  
**CHOCOLATE** 2 7 oz. bars 25c  
Wilbert's No-Rub  
**FLOOR WAX** pint 39c  
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**SOAP GRAINS** 1 lb. pkg. 19c  
**RINSO** 2 lbs. pkgs. 39c  
**LUX FLAKES** 1 lb. pkg. 21c  
**SPRY** lb. can 19c  
**CRISCO** lb. can 19c  
**SALADA TEA** 1/2 lb. pkg.  
Red Label 41c Brown Label 33c

Royal Guest  
**COFFEE** lb. bag 23c  
**KRISPY CRACKERS** pkg. 16c

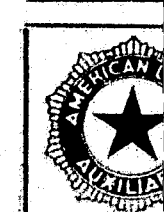
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# AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY NEWS

## JACKSON-SILVER UNIT No. 68

The Unit met in regular session Friday evening, Jan. 19. The meeting was opened in form by President Annie Kimball. Roll call of officers found all but two present. There were three visitors.

The making of capes, the ordering of the Poppies, the Americanism Program were discussed.

Past President Fannie Cummings reported on the 2nd District meeting in Auburn, Jan. 9.

Due to the success of the card party last week, another will be in progress at Legion Home at the same time next Friday evening, January 26. The public is invited.

The Post and Unit are very grateful to Harold Gammon of West Paris for the donation of a hot water tank for their stove and to Bill Leavitt of Norway for his assistance in helping to fit the same.

Under the good of the Auxiliary, Mrs. Frances Maxim of the South Paris Unit and Mrs. Alice Blaquiere of the Norway Unit spoke pleasingly. Little Sarah Dorian was also a guest. Comrades Maxim and Blackquiere visited the Post meeting.

Comrades Alanson Cummings, Conrad Lamb and Eddie Dorian, in honor of their natal days, served perfectly steamed clams, with drawn butter, crackers and coffee. It seemed the clams were forthcoming due to a membership wager between Comrades Morgan and A. Cummings. Three delicious birthday cakes were presented the committee, baked by Mildred Cummings, Ruth Dorian and Evelyn Barrett. A joyous birthday party indeed!

Regular meetings 1st and 3rd Fridays.

## GREENWOOD CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring, Locke Mills, called at Glenn Martin's recently.

D. R. Cole has purchased a different span of horses.

Lester Cole has been sanding the roads of the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin Saturday. Glenwood and William Libby also called during the evening.

Glenn Martin was in Rumford recently.

Leo Billings of Milton was a recent caller at Glenn Martin's.

Glenn Martin has returned to work in the mill at Locke Mills.

# THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE



## WEST GREENWOOD

J. F. Harrington returned to his home in Portland last week.

Mrs. Sophie Conner called on her daughter, Mrs. Alden Wilson, recently.

Bernard and William Harrington were in Rumford one day last week.

Mrs. Irene Aube, Miss Margie Aube and Jackie Britton of Rumford, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton and daughter of Newry were callers at Earl Cummings' Tuesday evening.

## SONGO POND

Wallace Brown and two children called on Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stone and little daughter were at her parents', Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball's, Sunday.

George Brown hauled pulp to Rumford for A. B. Kimball recently.

Walter Lapham has moved his family to Bath where he has been employed for some time in the Bath Iron Works.

## HOWE HILL

Mrs. Dora Ford attended the Eastern Star meeting Friday evening at Bryant Pond.

Mrs. Evelyn Roberts is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Charles Bryant, at Auburn.

Lee Roberts spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. Florence Strother, at East Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Strother and son Robert of East Oxford spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Roberts.

Lee Roberts and Edgar Strother enjoyed a fishing trip Saturday and Sunday on Mink Island, Locke Mills. They reported a good catch Saturday.

Mrs. Florence Strother of East Oxford called on Mrs. Charles Andrews and Mrs. Wendall Roberts Sunday.

William Roberts is spending a few days in Auburn.

Florence and Elsie Roberts called on Elinor Kennison Saturday. Alberta and Bessie Dunham of Bryant Pond were callers at Willie Bennett's recently.

L. J. Roberts, son Lee and Edgar Strother were at Greenwood City recently.

## LOCKE MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tebbets were in Boston over the week-end. Mrs. Frank Ring and Mrs. Erna Adams were in Lewiston Saturday.

Miss Mary Davis visited with Mrs. Florence Perham at Bryant Pond over Sunday.

At the Club card party at Herman Cummings' Tuesday evening, first prizes were given to Bertha Kimball and Joe Vetkoskey; second prizes to Georgia Mason and Lewis Cole. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The next party will be at James Ring's, Feb. 6.

Political Advertisement

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## To the REPUBLICANS of OXFORD COUNTY

In order to correct any erroneous statements or impressions to the contrary I wish to announce that I am a candidate for re-nomination as Judge of Probate in the forthcoming June Primaries.

This is an office of great trust and honor, affording an opportunity for public service which I have enjoyed during the term about to expire, and if you feel that the affairs of this office have been conducted in a manner which merits another term, I would greatly appreciate your continued confidence and support.

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**THE PRICE OF LIBERTY**

A short time ago Joseph Stalin, dictator of Communist Russia, was reelected to his seat on the Moscow municipal soviet. His majority was exactly 100%—every vote was cast for him. According to the press dispatch telling of this, it was obvious that the most strenuous methods were used by officials to get the largest possible vote.

Those who have watched the technique of dictatorship can judge what those methods were—you support the man in the saddle "or else." And this little event, while it didn't make the headlines, is a biting commentary on what happens when the people surrender their rights and liberties to iron-clad political rule. No one attempts to win over the opposition by argument, as in a democratic nation—after all, machine guns, exile and brutal persecution are temporarily more effective instruments for keeping in power. The man who raises his voice is given short shrift indeed.

Here in America we pride ourselves on the fact that we may still speak our minds that no man is master of our destinies that the forces of dictatorship have been kept firmly in leash. But pride in this is not enough. It cannot too often be repeated that the price of liberty is eternal vigilance at home. We can unconsciously surrender rights until one day we awake to realize, too late, that liberty is gone.

America watches events abroad with wonder and horror. Let America also learn from them.

**40 YEARS AGO IN NEWS**

Jan. 21, 1900

The New England Telephone Company had a crew of men here a portion of last week putting in new instruments, and changing over those already in to a metallic circuit with long distance instruments. New instruments have been taken by Dr. Twaddle, Dr. Sturdivant, Dr. Gehring and The Bethel News.

**SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK**

Week of Jan. 22, 1940

Grade	Savings Bank	Total	Per Cent
I	\$2.00	\$2.55	50
II	5.00	2.75	65
III		2.50	50
IV	3.00	2.85	66
V	\$10.00	\$10.75	
VI	2.00	3.10	47.5
VII	1.00	1.60	44
VIII	4.00	3.15	46.4
	\$29.00	\$29.30	

Fourth and Sixth Grades have banners.

**NOT A NEW BELT BUT A DIET**



**The SNAPSHOT GUILD**  
PICTURE YOUR PETS



A flash bulb, fired just as the photographer aroused the dog from sleep, captured this picture. The camera was first set for "time" and the shutter opened.

FEW albums contain enough pictures of the family pet—the dog, kitten, parrot, or whatever animal companion you have. However, with a little patience and strategy, such shots are not difficult to get—and they certainly add interest and variety to your picture collection.

For a good picture of the pet, you need a large image—and here is where the portrait attachment comes in. Slip one of these on the camera lens, and you can take pictures with a box camera as near as 3 feet to the subject. Even nearer, if yours is a focusing model and you use the attachment.

Naturally, you'll pick a moment when the pet is quiet. Bait is helpful. For example, a saucer of milk to tempt the cat. Put the milk in the chosen spot, under your photo lights—place the camera exactly the right distance away from the saucer—and as soon as the pet takes the bait, you're ready to shoot. For shots with photo bulbs of the "flood" type, load the camera with high speed film.

Flash bulbs are often a help in shooting pet pictures. The picture

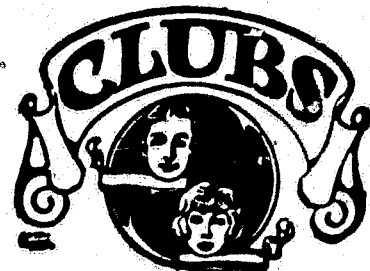
above is a "flash shot." First, the camera was placed just the right distance from the dog, while he slept under the kitchen stove. The shutter was set for a "time" exposure. Then the photographer turned off the kitchen lights—opened the camera shutter—made a loud noise to awaken the dog—and flashed the flash bulb. Then it was necessary merely to close the shutter and wind the film for the next shot.

Thus, you see, you don't have to have a synchronizer for flash shots, although it's a convenient device. Indoors, you can use the flash bulb in any electric socket. Make sure, of course, that the light switch is in the "off" position before you insert the bulb. For flash pictures, either chrome film or high speed film can be used, but you must have the light at the right distance from the subject.

Pets are excellent subjects for indoor shots—and it would be fun, this winter, to make a collection of pictures showing your pet's antics and activities. No two pictures will be alike—and their interest never wanes. Try it and see.

John van Guilder

**THEY WOULD READ YOUR AD  
TOO, IF IT APPEARED HERE**



Twelve Scouts and one official were present at the meeting of the Boy Scouts Monday evening, which was led by Reginald Godwin. It was voted to have a hare and hound chase Feb. 3, the committee in charge being Glendon McAllister, Robert Greenleaf and Gilbert LeClair. The patrols were reorganized and the meeting closed with the Scout Cheer.

Edward Hanscom held high score at the meeting of the Men's Bridge Club at the home of Philip Sayles Monday evening. Substitutes were Jesse Doyen, Norris Brown and Howard Thurston.

The Junior Guild met Wednesday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Wallace with 20 members and two visitors present. The co-hostesses were Mrs. Eugenia Leonard and Miss Dorothy Hanscom. Mrs. Celia Gorman and Mrs. Ruth Poole were appointed on a committee to help the Ladies' Club with the Parish supper. Mrs. Mary Wilson gave a very interesting talk on Antiques.

Plans for a Winter Carnival were discussed at the meeting of the Eighth Grade Safety Club Tuesday afternoon. Peggy Hanscom read an article on Why We Need Safe Ways in Winter Sports. Beatrice Forbes read an article on Railroads. A poem was read by Robert Annis. Committee in charge of the program of the next meeting is Gilbert LeClair, Alice Pierce and Willard Bean.

**GOULD SECONDS WIN  
OVERTIME 27-25**

Nick Amato and Wilbur Bull led their team mates to a sensational overtime victory over Gorman. Bull tossed the winning basket in the extra period while Amato played exceptional ball to star on the offense with 10 points.

By periods  
G. A. 4-17-20-25-27  
G. H. S. 1-11-17-25-25

**BETHEL COUPLE MARRIED  
50 YEARS**

—Continued from Page One  
The following original poem was written and read by Mrs. Wallace Clark:

It doesn't seem possible though it's true

This little story I'm telling you.  
About a couple we all know,  
Love, admire and all honor bestow.  
Yes, one half century has rolled away

Since they first had a wedding day.  
Hand in hand and side by side  
Have walked the groom and his  
loving bride.

"Link" was tall and strong of limb,  
Inez looked so tiny beside of him.  
Now you'd never recognize either  
one

For the years have changed their  
figure some.

The hill before them lay high and  
steep

Many a time they were forced to  
creep

But never once did they wish to  
stop

And with undaunted courage, they  
reached the top.

Then babies came to share their  
joys.

Three dear girls and four manly  
boys

Stand ready to help in every way  
For they feel they have a debt to  
pay.

And grandchildren came to bless  
their home.

One was reared as their very own.  
He too will do whatever he can  
And will always honor his "Gram"

and "Gram."

Neighbors near and friends far  
away

Wish you happiness on this Wed-  
ding Day.

'Tis a long race you have run in,  
and the milestones are flying fast.  
We can hardly believe when you  
tell us 50 years are rolling past.

And may God bless and keep you  
And lead you by the hand  
Through all your pilgrim journey  
Till you reach the promised land.

Ladies' Night and Charter Night were observed by the Lions Club at Bethel Inn Tuesday evening. After the banquet motion pictures of Tuna Fishing, Fall Scenery, and Winter Sports at Fryeburg, were shown by Dorothy Sabin of the Maine Publicity Bureau.

Fourteen tables were in play Thursday evening at the second of the series of whist parties sponsored by Sunset Rebekah Lodge. High score prizes were won by Miss Christie Thurston and Bert Grover; consolation by Miss Arlene Brown and Norman Ford. Leading in the series are: ladies, first Miss Christie Thurston, second Mrs. Walter Jodrey; men, Edgar Cross and William Chapman.

The Ladies Club met with Mrs. Ethel Hastings last Thursday afternoon. The following program was in charge of Mrs. Arthur Dudley: Vocal solos by Miss Virginia Walcott, violin obligato, Mrs. Dudley, piano accompaniment, Mrs. Harry Lyon; violin duets, Miss Walcott and Mrs. Dudley; vocal solo, Miss Walcott; quotations on Benjamin Franklin, members.

Panther Patrol, B. S. A., met with Gilbert LeClair Wednesday afternoon with six present. Ways of earning money for the patrol were discussed.

Nineteen tables were in play at the whist and finch party sponsored by Sunset Rebekah Lodge for the benefit of the Infantile Paralysis fund. Prize for high score at whist was won by William Chapman; low score, Mrs. Thomas Burris. For finch Willard Thayer was high, and Mrs. John Meserve low.

At the meeting of the Girl Scouts Friday afternoon at the Legion Rooms badges were presented as follows: tree tender and architecture, Corinne Boyker; winter sports, Betty Smith; outdoor cook, Mary Lou Chapman. Alice Pierce presented 50 cents to the troop treasury from her former patrol, Little Dipper, and Marla Smith presented the troop with the book, "Twenty-five Years of Girl Scouting," from her former patrol, Mountain Laurel.

Mrs. Philip Chadbourne was hostess at a scavenger hunt Friday evening. The winning group included Mrs. Freeland Clark, Mrs. Wilbur Myers and Mrs. Olive Lurvey. Games followed and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Irving Carver won a prize for a guessing game. Guests were Mrs. Philip Sayles, Mrs. William Chapman, Mrs. Wilbur Myers, Mrs. Ordell Anderson, Mrs. Hubert Westfall, Mrs. Herbert Rowe, Mrs. Arthur Cutler, Mrs. Freeland Clark, Mrs. Milton Pratt, Mrs. Clayton Fossett, Mrs. Charles Combs, Mrs. Irving Carver, Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerkhoven, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Edward Hanscom.

Mrs. Philip Chapman entertained at a dinner party Saturday evening, followed by cards. High scores were held by Mrs. Perley Flint and Ralph Young; consolation, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Littlehale.

Mrs. Freeland Clark and Mrs. Arthur Cutler entertained at contract at Mrs. Clark's home last Thursday afternoon. First prize was won by Mrs. Laurence Lord, second by Mrs. Wilbur Myers, and consolation went to Mrs. Ordell Anderson.

Mrs. Olive Lurvey entertained two tables of contract at her home Monday evening for the benefit of the Infantile Paralysis drive. High score winner was Mrs. Harry Wilson, and low, Mrs. Viola Lord.

**GOULD ALUMNI BASKETEERS  
PLAY WOODSTOCK**

Two Gould alumni teams went to Bryant Pond Wednesday evening to meet teams of the Woodstock Alumni Association.

The local girls' team won by a 37-18 score. The team included Shirley Cole, Mary Clough, Marjorie Freeman, Sylvia Bird, Margaret Bennett, Virginia Smith, Rita Davis, Verna Dyke, Geraldine Stanley.

In the boys' game the Woodstock team won a 23-20 victory. Bethel players were Charles Smith, Parker Brown, Richard Davis, Donald Brown, Stanley Allen, Gardner Smith, Donald Stanley, Ardell Hinkley, Donald Holt, Christine Onofrio.

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**FARM PROGRAM  
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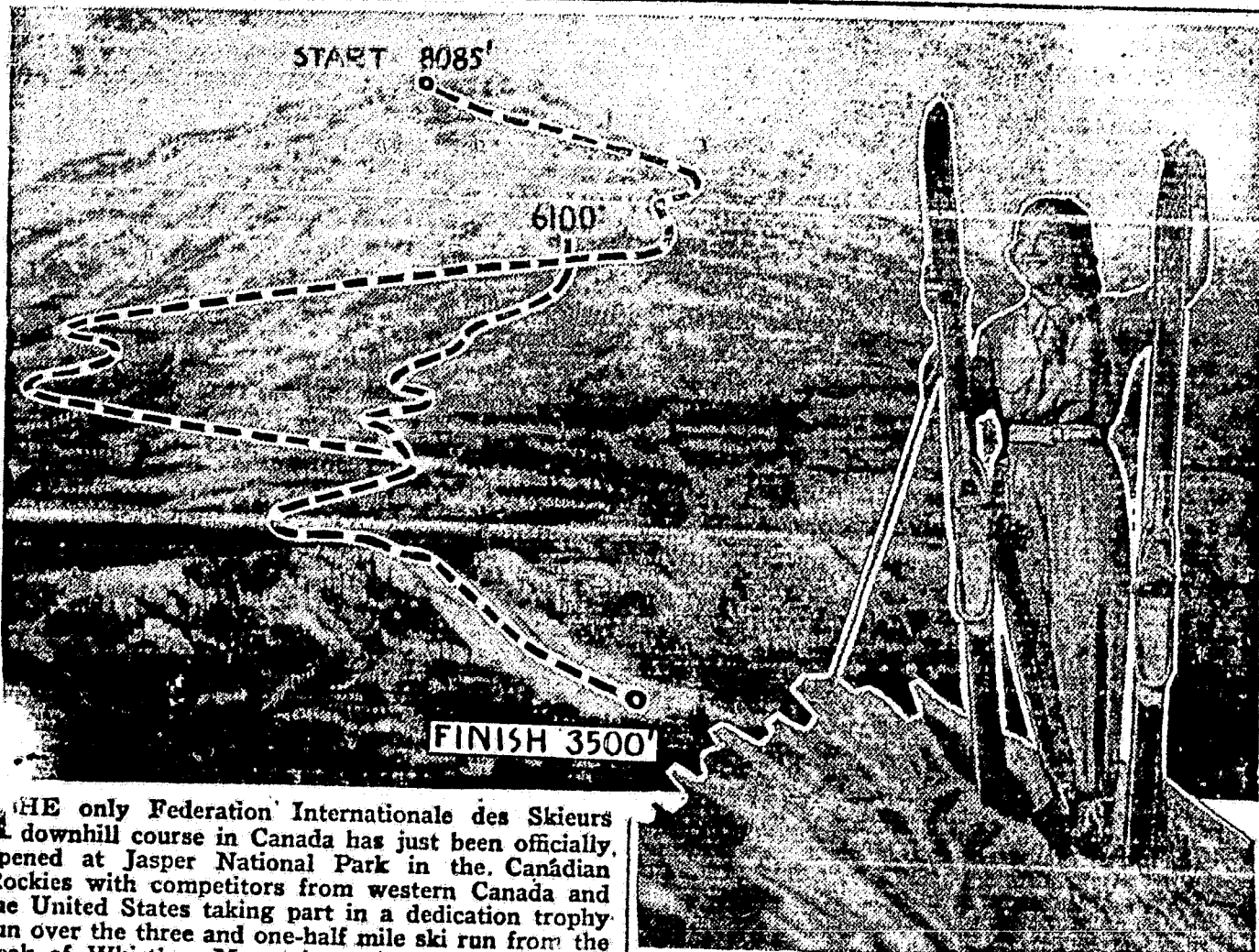
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## Canada's Only F.I.S. Downhill Course



THE only Federation Internationale des Skieurs downhill course in Canada has just been officially opened at Jasper National Park in the Canadian Rockies with competitors from western Canada and the United States taking part in a dedication trophy run over the three and one-half mile ski run from the peak of Whistlers Mountain to Jasper village, near Jasper Park Lodge of Canadian National Railway.

The new Whistlers Run begins at a point 8,085 feet above sea level and finishes at an altitude of 3,500 feet. Canada's only downhill course that meets the standard set by the Federation Internationale des Skieurs is not the only outstanding feature of this

Alpine summer and winter playground as Jasper offers a wide choice of winter sports activities with practice and slalom slopes and touring trails and almost every altitude and at every exposure. Gertrude Wepsala (inset), Canadian women's champion, has just completed a training course in Jasper preparatory to entering eastern international competitions.

## FARM PROGRAM LEADERS AND EXPERT ADDRESS GROUP

About 40 Agricultural Conservation Committeemen from all sections of Oxford County attended an instruction school at South Paris last Monday. This school was for the purpose of acquainting these men with the aims and purposes of the National farm program and to explain the application of practices to the management of Oxford County farms. Committeemen will soon be contacting farmers throughout the county to help them determine how they can utilize the 1940 program to best advantage on their farms.

Edmund C. Smith, Bethel, president of the county association, opened the meeting with a report of the conference of committeemen from the Northeastern United States which he attended in New York City. Robert Hastings, East Bethel, and John McKeen, West Paris, members of the county committee, then reported on the highlights of a committeeman's conference at Pittsfield.

Mr. Smith outlined the purpose of the National farm program as follows: 1. To increase farm income, 2. to conserve soil fertility, 3. To balance production.

Mr. Hastings spoke in particular of the danger of agricultural expansion in anticipation of higher prices due to the European wars. He said that conditions are different today than they were at the time of the World War and that it is unlikely that prices of agricultural commodities will advance materially. Mr. McKeen emphasized selective cutting of wood and timber as a means of conserving our forests and at the same time providing the owners of farm woodlots with an annual income with which to pay taxes and meet other expenses. He also advised reforestation of land not suitable or not needed for agricultural production.

R. H. Boothby, Livermore, and Harold Shaw, Sanford, members of the state committee, were present and addressed the group and answered questions. The entire afternoon was devoted to a discussion by Dr. D. S. Fink of the University of Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, who outlined the importance of manure, lime and superphosphate in building and maintaining the fertility of pasture and hayland.

## GOULD ACADEMY

After a short meeting of the Y. M. C. A., the following committees were selected for the Winter Carnival, which is to be held on Feb. 16 and 17:

General Chairman: Romeo Baker

Ticket Committee: Sherman Williamson, chairman, Irving Brown, Jack Haines

Poster Committee: Robert Bushong, chairman, Norman Kilby, Hartwell Blanchard

Table Committee: Edward Wheeler, Filmore Clough, Edward Miller

Ushers: Erik Brown, chairman, Parker Brown, Malcolm Brown, Charles St. Thomas, Warren Payeur, Whipple Abbe

Refreshment Committee: Herbert Bailey, chairman, George Stearns, Robert Billings

Events Committee: Donald Holt, chairman, Erik Brown, Irving Cummings, Sidney Howe

Decorating Committee: Winfield Benner, chairman, Edward Miller, Henry Haley, Charles St. Thomas

Ball Committee: Bernard Bartlett, chairman, Nathaniel Bartholomae, Cecil Wentzel, Herbert Foote

Clean-Up Squad: Nicholas Amato, chairman, Wilbur Bull, Edward Bean, Jack Haines

## MRS. LURVEY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Olive Lurvey gave a party at her home Saturday evening for a group of girls and boys from West Bethel and Bethel. Several contests and relays were conducted during the evening between the boys and girls, with the prize going to the girls' team. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were Arlene Davis, Marilyn Abbott, Richard Walker, Kenneth McAnis, Maurice Kendall, Mary Gibbs, O'Neil Saunders, Adeline Stetson, Frederick Kneeland, Barbara MacKenzie, Robert Davis, Carroll Fitzgerald, Colleen Bennett, Laurence Kendall, Ruth McInnis, Albert Smith, Donald Walker, Randall Gilbert, Carolyn Bryant, Peggy Hanscom, Beatrice Forbes, Mary Lou Chapman.

## SMART MONEY

KNOWS WHERE TO GO AFTER READING THE ADS IN THIS NEWSPAPER.

## NORTHWEST BETHEL BETHEL AND VICINITY

Frances and Dale Hodgkins, Clara and Marion Silver, Charles Day, Robert and Arlene Stearns, and Nelson Hart spent Saturday evening with Miss Grover.

Mrs. Floyd Coolidge was in Bethel one day this week.

Guy Gibbs is working for Evans Wilson.

Mrs. Thomas Quinn of Portland spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Skillings.

Mrs. Vinnie May spent Tuesday with Mrs. Clark at Bethel.

Friday afternoon, Jan. 19, the school children held a carnival. They had sled racing, ski racing, and ski jumping.

School was closed Wednesday as the teacher, Miss Hazel Grover, was sick.

Carla Swan, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swan of Locks Mills, is with Mrs. A. S. Grover for some time.

Miss Rosalind Itow went to Portland Wednesday for the remainder of the week, the guest of Miss Athalie Gifford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucion Littlejohn went to Portland Monday, where they will have an apartment for the next two months.

Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf went to Boston Tuesday to spend the rest of the week with her daughter, Miss Arline Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose of Portsmouth, N. H., are spending the week in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fuller.

Services for Eugene Chayer were held last Thursday morning from the Greenleaf funeral home, with Father O'Bokus of Rumford officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Dusen, Kerehoven, Mrs. Viola Lord and Miss Beatrice Brown attended a meeting of telephone operators at Rumford Tuesday evening.

Walter Blake, who has been in the C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, the past month with a broken leg, is now at the home of his son, Ernest Blake, on the Middle Intervale road.

Mrs. Ray Crockett had as guests Sunday her mother, Mrs. Ada Billings, and sister, Mrs. Freeman Morse, of South Paris, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Hall of Norway.

Most of the Banks are now making a charge to non-depositors for cashing checks that are not drawn on themselves and in conformity with that custom The Bethel National Bank will start making that charge on February 1st.

Mrs. Raipa Young entertained at dinner Wednesday the following guests: Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mrs. Perley Flint, Mrs. Theodore Hewey, Mrs. Freeland Clark, Mrs. Norman Sanborn, Mrs. Edwin Smith, Mrs. Arnel Brown, Mrs. Sylvanus Brown and Mrs. Tena Thurston.

## Jumping Beans

Most Mexican jumping beans come from the province of Chihuahua; they are the seeds of various members of a family of swart trees listed as euphorbiaceae plants. When the plant is in blossom the moth (Carpocapsa saltitans) lays an egg in one part of the flower. The hatched larvae bore into the growing beans but do not attain full growth until the beans are hard and ripe. The larva inside the bean moves it by coiling up and then suddenly extending itself. Later in the season it cuts a circular door through the bean and changes to a pupa, then when the pupa is transformed to a moth it escapes through this door. Close examination of the bean will show this means of exit.

## Silver's History

Originally a trading post colony of the Netherlands, New York's first silversmiths were mostly of Holland Dutch birth or heritage, and although by 1660 New York had become an English colony, the silver made by its craftsmen retained the Dutch flavor, both in design and ornamentation. Gradually this was modified by the influx of English and Huguenot craftsmen. The result was pieces of silver with a distinction all their own. In form and ornamentation they were a mingling of both the Dutch and English traditions with slight touches of the French, reflecting the presence of a tightly knit though small group of Huguenots. Because of these three influences, New York silver until the middle of the Eighteenth century and, in some cases, almost to the outbreak of the American Revolution varied distinctly from that being made in the other English colonies.

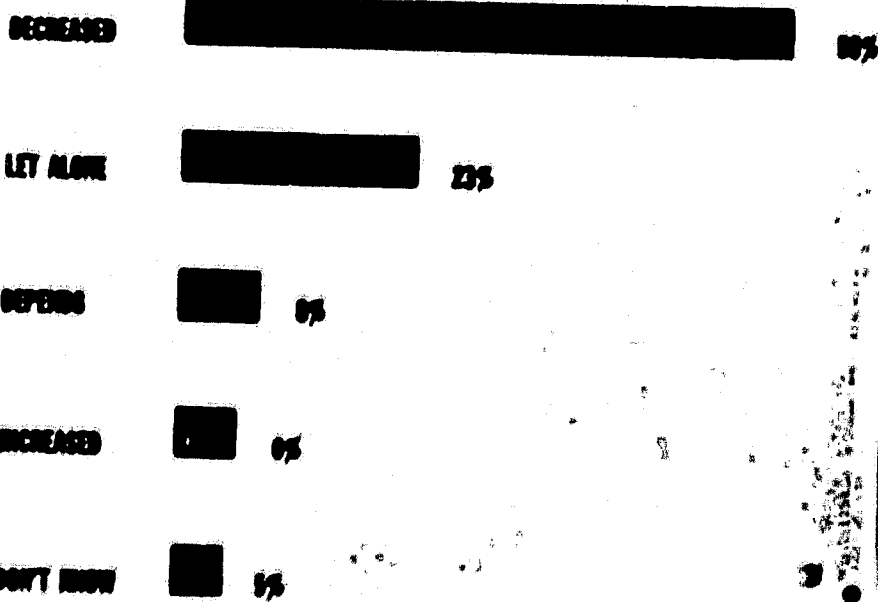
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## TO INCREASE PROSPERITY GOVERNMENT SPENDING SHOULD BE:



DECREASED government spending was called for by 55% of those polled in a recent survey by the National Association of Manufacturers. They held that government spending should be decreased in order to bring increased prosperity. Only 6% wanted an increase in spending. An analysis of the results of the survey showed that even among the lower income levels there was a four to one vote against increased spending. In the great lower middle class—with incomes between \$1,200 and \$3,500—the vote was fifteen to one in opposition to increased spending. Farmers voted heavily for economy, with only 1.4% saying "spend more."

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## BRYANT POND

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The Susan Haswell Mission Circle met Tuesday night, Jan. 16th, at the Social Hall. It was a nice meeting, telling of the mission work in foreign countries. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

The Ladies' Aid had a roast pork supper and all the fixings with cakes, Wednesday night, January 17th.

The Bible Study met Thursday evening, January 18th, and questions were asked from the Bible. There was a large number present and it was an enjoyable meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and youngest daughter, Mary Stuart Farnum, and the Misses Edith and Clara Whitman went to Waterville and Oakland Thursday, the 18th. They left Mr. Farnum in Waterville and went to Oakland, calling on Mrs. Mary (Whitman) Taylor. With Mrs. Taylor, they shopped in Waterville and called at the Oakland school to see the Taylor children.

Miss Theresa Farnum of Berlin, N. H. visited her father, James Farnum, and other relatives and friends over the week-end.

William Watt of North Paris has moved his family to the camp above Everett Howe's home.

Mrs. Rita DeShon is expected home from St. Marie's Hospital in Lewiston, and Miss Hazel Abbott from the Rumford Community Hospital this week.

Mrs. Daisy Buel is working for Mrs. Ada Abbott.

### FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond met Saturday evening, January 20th, with Master Everett Davis in the chair. Protem appointments for absent officers:

Overseer, J. Everett Howe  
Flora, Clara Whitman  
Gate Keeper, Wayne Whitman  
Discussion on the Finnish-Russian situation was opened by Floyd Redman, followed by Thomas Abbott.

Report of State Grange.  
Everett Davis  
Question Period conducted by Lecturer. Questions asked were about Grange work. All members took part and were very helpful.

There was a small attendance.  
A nice letter from G. W. Q. Perham, who is in the Rumford Community Hospital, was read.  
The next meeting will be February 3rd and plans are to have movies. There will be a box supper to earn money to help Finland. Ladies please bring boxes.

### MILTON

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McGuire of West Vern were Sunday callers at Alex Miller's.

Callers at Mrs. Addie Lapham's Sunday were Mrs. Jimmy Hathaway and son, John, of Bryant Pond and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Clifford, Herford.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Bryant Pond, called on his mother, Mrs. Nancy Andrews, Friday afternoon.

Address Bryant is ill.  
Roy Day and Elen Whitmore were in Livermore Falls Sunday.

Everett Davis attended Grange at Upton Wednesday evening.  
Abner Mann of Bryant Pond was a caller at Miss Clara Jackson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Coffin, Barbara and Millet Coffin, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett.

Charles Goss and Vern Jackson went to Locke Mills Wednesday.

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### NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. Nellie Abbott returned home Sunday after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. George Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole, son Richard and Miss Marion Sherman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dudley.

John Knights is staying with his brother, James Knights, and family after being at the Rumford Hospital for the past two weeks. His arm is improving slowly.

Mrs. Boyle spent Monday with Mrs. Edgar Davis.

### EAST BETHEL

Five tables were in play at the Whist party, for the benefit of the Farm Bureau, which was held Wednesday evening at the home of William Hastings. Mrs. Fannie Bartlett and Elmer Traak won first prizes while Mrs. Guy Bartlett and Willard Farwell won consolation prizes. Apple pie, ice cream and coffee were served.

G. K. Hastings accompanied Robert Hastings to South Paris Saturday and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Auverna Millett.

Eight tables of 63 were in play Saturday evening at the hall. Mrs. Marjorie Billings and Lewis Cole won first prizes for the evening. Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett and Guy Bartlett received consolation prizes. The grand prizes for the series of four prizes went to Mrs. Bertha Cox of Rumford Corner and Charles Reed. Consolation prizes went to Mrs. Leslie Noyes and John Howe. Another party will be held the 27th and every other week thereafter for a while.

Rodney Howe was in Lewiston Saturday afternoon and attended the Bates-Northeastern basketball game Saturday evening. Norman Johnson came home with him for over night, returning to Lewiston late Sunday afternoon.

The Lucky Clover 4-H Club held their third meeting Saturday afternoon. Cocoa syrup, milk beverages and stitching of straight and curved lines were the subjects taken up. The next meeting will be Feb. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bean and Miss Eva Bean of Woodstock were at John Howe's Monday evening.

### GILEAD

Miss Eleanor Buck of Rumford was a guest Friday night of Miss Ruth Gilpatrick. They spent Saturday in Portland.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cole were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Noyes and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jodrey and children, all of Gorham, N. H.

Miss Shirley Cole spent the week-end in Portland.

D. A. Briggette has gone to Peru where he has employment.

Mrs. Elizabeth Richardson, who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Holden, is some better.

Ferrol Witter of Locke Mills spent the week-end at his mother's, Mrs. Hattie Witter's.

### NORTH NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin have closed Poplar Tavern and moved away. The townspeople are very sorry to have them leave town.

F. W. Wight attended the Agricultural Conservation meeting at South Paris Monday.

Albert Morton and family were dinner guests Sunday of his brother, Herbert Jr., and wife at Newry Corner.

L. E. Wight and E. W. Brown were in Bethel Sunday.

The Young People met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton for their regular meeting Friday night.

Church services were held at Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Davis' Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight were Sunday callers at his home here.

### EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Millett are rejoicing over the birth of a baby boy Sunday, Jan. 21. Mother and baby are being cared for by Mrs. Georgia McAllister. Mrs. Louise Merrill is helping with the housework.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Farrington are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter Monday, Jan. 15, at C. M. G. Hospital, Lewiston.

The Young People of East Stoneham, assisted by Mr. Hodges, conducted the Sunday morning services.

Ervin Curtis was sick Monday and unable to attend school.

Chester Rowe has his ice all harvested and has about 9500 cakes in his ice houses.

### NORTH LOVELL

Walter Laroque of Center Lovell is boarding at Kezar Lake Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harriman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Orris LeBaron attended the movies at Bridgton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stone and daughter of Lovell have moved into the Mason rent with Bertrand Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Knox Bickford and daughter Barbara called on Mrs. Bickford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKeen, Sunday.

Everett McAllister unloaded a carload of tractors for Harold Bachelder Monday and Tuesday.

Mertice Berry, teacher in the local school, spent the week-end at her home in Cornish.

Harold Bachelder and Harry McKeen were business callers in Rumford one day last week.

Lorin McKeen is ill and being attended by a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bachelder were in Lewiston one day last week to the Agricultural Trades Show.

Mrs. Howard Allen and son Lester called on Howard Allen, a patient at the Maine General Hospital, Saturday.

Lumbering operations are being carried on locally by both the Deering Lumber Co. and the Diamond Match Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKeen called on their daughter, Mrs. John Grover, at East Stoneham Monday.

Local ice-cutting crews have completed harvesting ice. They report a large crop and excellent quality.

Donald Lewis is working at H. B. McKeen's.

Mrs. Everett Wakefield, who has been ill, is reported improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harriman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bachelder at Bridge Monday evening.

Prayer meetings are being held every Tuesday evening at seven o'clock in the school house, North Lovell.

Eudora Coleman and Sargent Coleman Jr. spent Sunday at their home here.

Faustina Bachelder spent Monday at her cousin's, David Harriman's.

### CENTER LOVELL

Betty Shirley from East Conway, N. H. spent the week-end with June Wilkenson.

Archie Milliken has been sick with the measles.

Lewis Davis is driving team for the Deering Company, hauling timber on Eastman Hill.

Mrs. Nettie Merrill passed away Friday night at the home of her son, Herman Merrill, on Shave Hill, after a few days illness.

Bessie Stearns entertained the bridge party Tuesday afternoon.

Roger Bryan spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Floyd Whitehouse.

Marcus and Burton Stearns have been cutting and filling the ice house at Brown's Camps for the Severance Brothers.

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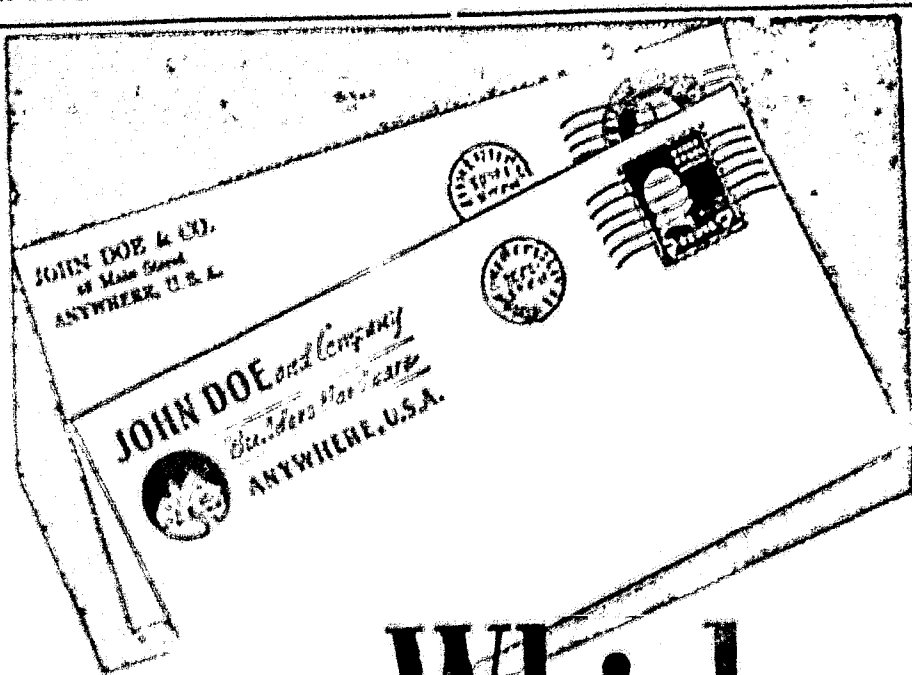
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"In 1917 the state's total tax revenue was \$5,166,201. During 1939 the motorists of this state paid \$5,764,000 in gasoline taxes to the state, an amount which exceeds what the state collected from all tax sources in 1917, the year that the United States entered the World War," said Mr. Kearney.

"Besides the \$5,764,000 that Maine motorists paid in state gasoline taxes, they also paid in 1939 an additional \$1,500,000 to the federal government. Thus, our motorists' gasoline tax bill for the year totaled \$7,264,000.

"These facts speak for themselves. They indicate clearly that the motorists of this state are being made the tax-goats. It is almost incomprehensible that our motorists today are paying more taxes on the gasoline they use than the total that the state collected from all taxpayers before the World War," continued Mr. Kearney. "These facts show that the increased cost of government is falling heaviest upon the motorist."

**BETHEL GRANGE, NO. 56**

Bethel Grange held its regular meeting Thursday evening, Jan. 18, with the Worthy Master in the chair. Officers absent were Assistant Steward, Ceres and Flora.

The third degree was conferred upon Bessie M. Bean and Henry W. Boyker by the Ladies' Degree Team of West Paris Grange and a mixed team from the same Grange conferred the fourth degree.

The program included remarks by the Worthy Master, Sister Iona Andrews, and several others of West Paris Grange, also an original poem and a short talk on Americanism by Brother Alanson Cummings of West Paris Grange.

There were 27 members present from West Paris Grange and 12 from Bethel Grange, also another visitor; total 40.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served at the close of the meeting, after which a short social hour was enjoyed.

**MIDDLE INTERVALE**

Gus Carter and Curtis Winslow were home over the week-end.

Hoyt Gunther and family are staying at his father's while they put in ice.

Ben Kimball is having his ice house filled.

The Osgood children are still sick.

Mrs. Jerome Smith has been quite sick the past week but is improving. Marlon Osgood is with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens were in Albany Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swan and Jimmie took dinner at Carey Stevens' Sunday.

Ernest and Mervin Buck were home over the week-end.

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Henry Durgin is working for Walter Cullinan.

Ernest Stone has bought some hay of Roland Littlefield.

Ivan Kimball was in Norway Sunday.

E. P. Hobson and Linwood Jellison called at R. G. Wardwell's Saturday.

Richard Clark from Gorham, Me., was a caller in this place last Thursday.

Friends of Ralph Knight are very sorry to hear of the death of his wife, Elizabeth, which occurred at the M. G. Hospital in Portland Saturday, Jan. 20.

Arthur Wardwell, Mrs. Roy Wardwell and Mrs. Leon Kimball were in Norway Tuesday evening.

Roy and Arthur Wardwell are trucking pulp to Rumford.

**ALBANY, VALLEY RD.**

A. A. Bruce has gone to Portland to spend the remainder of the winter with his sister.

Mrs. Edith McAllister and son Delbert were at her mother's, Mrs. Jean Annis', Friday afternoon.

George and Harry Logan are working at Dad Hill for Fred Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and

children, Shirley and Lenwood, called at Harlan Bumpus' Saturday evening.

Will McAllister Jr. hauled wood for Harry Logan one day last week.

Ben Inman has been confined to the house by illness.

Stanley and Myrtle Lapham and Ralph and Arthur Kimball were callers at Mrs. Carrie Logan's Friday evening.

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### HOME LIGHTING MEETING IN UPTON

On Saturday, Jan. 20, Miss Edna M. Cobb, state home management specialist, held a meeting in Upton on Home Lighting. Since this community is having an electric line put through, this meeting was especially timely. The group met at the home of Mrs. Jennie Jenkins and listened to a talk on the value and use of proper lighting.

A square meal for health was served at noon which consisted of home-raised food with the exception of the beverage.

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### GORHAM PINS LOSS ON GOULD

Gould Academy dropped its second game in less than a week when the Gorham, N. H., team gained revenge by swamping the local quintet 47-27 at Gorham Tuesday evening. It was clearly a night when the opponents were hot and the Gould quint was exceptionally cold. The locals pulled a few nice plays but for the greater part of the game were completely off form. The defense, if there was any, was wide open and the Gorham team came through with plenty of set-up shots.

Gorham, right forward for the winning team, came through for the high scoring honors with 18 points, but all his team mates, added plenty to the total score. Wentzel, suffering a heavy cold and completely off form gathered nine points, and Palmer got 11 for the losers.

**GOULD**  
Young, rf 4 1 9  
Swan, lf 0 0 0  
Palmer, c 2 0 4  
Tucker, rg 3 5 11  
Tuchins, lg 0 0 0  
Lough, lg 1 1 3  
0 0 0

10 7 27

**GORHAM**  
Johnson, rf 9 0 18  
Gorham, lf 3 1 7  
Ross, lf 0 0 0  
Martel, c 2 1 7  
Hatch, c 0 0 0  
Kiddier, rg 4 0 8  
Mionich, rg 0 1 1  
Walker, lg 3 0 6  
0 0 0

22 3 47

By periods  
G. A. 5 17 21 27  
G. H. S. 9 23 40 47  
Time: 4 eights. Referee: Har-  
riman

### MRS. ARTHUR G. WILEY

Mrs. Nellie F. Wiley, wife of Dr. Arthur G. Wiley, died suddenly Sunday morning at her home in Bar Mills. She had been in ill health several years, but her death was unexpected and resulted from an attack of heart disease.

Mrs. Wiley was born in Bethel 65 years ago, the daughter of Orange and Mary Hastings Frost. She had lived at Buxton 35 years. She was a member of the Universalist Church at Bethel, but had attended the First Parish Congregational Church at Buxton since living there, and was a member of the Woman's Auxiliary of that church and the Dorcas Society of Buxton and Hollis. She was active in musical circles and had served as soloist for many organizations.

She is survived, besides her husband, by a daughter, Mrs. Floyd Hannaford of Bar Mills; a sister, Mrs. Susan Edwards of Bethel, and several nieces.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon in the First Parish Congregational Church, Buxton, with the Rev. Milton B. MacAllister of Kennebunk, a former pastor, officiating. The Rev. Lewis N. Tilton, present pastor, officiating. Interment was in South Buxton cemetery.

### APPRECIATION

As chairman of the local Infantile Paralysis fund campaign, which netted us \$35. I wish to thank the local card clubs, organizations and all who helped make this such a success.

Mrs. Alma C. Thurston

### LOCAL STORE CELEBRATES

Clover Farm Stores are celebrating the 58th anniversary of the establishment of the Clover Farm brand by a mammoth sale this week. It was announced today by P. R. Burns, who operates a Clover Farm Store in Bethel. The sale, which is an annual event features many Clover Farm items at special prices. The sale will extend from today through Thursday, Feb. 1, and the special prices will be available to Clover Farm customers during the entire period of the sale.

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### THE OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH NOTES

Last Thursday evening, the 18th, the East Stoneham Young Adults met with Miss Harriet Grover. In Lovell the Young Adults met at the home of Gus and Dorothy Helm.

Friday evening there was a Circle supper and pound party in Lovell Center.

Sunday, the 21st, was Go-to-Church Sunday in the East Stoneham Church. The occasion and service were sponsored by the young people of the Pilgrim Fellowship. They conducted the service and invited their neighbors. The result was astounding. Every one, young and old, was pleasantly surprised when the average congregation was practically doubled. Congratulations.

Tuesday, the 23rd, in East Stoneham was the first of a series of lectures by Prof. Zerby of Bates College. The time for this meeting was 7:30 p. m. Also Tuesday evening was the North Lovell School House service.

Thursday, the 25th, there is a Circle Supper in East Stoneham; in Lovell there is a choir rehearsal. THE COMING WEEK:

Friday, the 26th, will see Pilgrim Fellowship parties meeting in different parts of the Parish. In North Lovell there will be a benefit supper and pound party.

Monday evening, the 29th, the Waterford Church holds its annual meeting for both the Church and Parish. Also Monday evening the Lovell Church Cabinet meets at the parsonage.

Tuesday evening, the 30th, Dr. Zerby is with us again, this time in North Waterford. On this evening there will be a Circle Supper in North Waterford. Also on this evening will be the regular North Lovell School House service at 7 o'clock.

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### CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, January 28th

#### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister  
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "The Coming of the Kingdom." The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated at the close of this service.  
6:30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.  
Wednesday, January 31. Annual Meeting and Roll Call of the Congregation. Parish Supper at 6:30. All are invited. The Meeting will be held in the Chapel after supper.

#### METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor  
9:45 Church School. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, superintendent.  
11:00 Sunday Morning Worship. The Chorus Choir will sing "Beauty for Ashes." Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist and director. Subject of sermon, "What are We?"  
6:30 Epworth League. Leaders, Irving Brown and Herbertina Norton.

7:30 Evening Service. Special singing. Subject, "Levels."

Men's Brotherhood meets Monday, Jan. 29. Supper Committee, Charles Freeman, Edwin Brown, Maurice Brooks. Entertainment committee, H. I. Bean, Irving Brown, M. A. Gordon.

Nous Jeune Filles Club meets Tuesday evening, Jan. 30, with Arlene Brown.

The Ladies' Aid meets Thursday afternoon, Feb. 1, with Mrs. Maude Bean.

Choir rehearsal every Thursday evening from 7 to 8.

Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful. But his delight is in the law of the Lord; and in his law doth he meditate day and night. Psalms 1: 1.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.  
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. "Truth" is the subject of the

Lesson-Sermon to be read in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Jan. 28. The Golden Text is: "O Lord, thou art my God; I will exalt thee, I will praise thy name; for thou hast done wonderful things; thy counsels of old are faithfulness and truth" (Isaiah 25: 1).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in good health, even as thy soul prospereth. I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth" (III John 1: 2, 4).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Testimonial meetings at 7:30 p. m. on the second Wednesday of each month until May.

### BORN

In Lewiston, Jan. 15, to the wife of J. H. Farrington of East Stoneham, a daughter.

In East Stoneham, Jan. 21, to the wife of Leon Millett, a son.

In West Paris, Jan. 21, to the wife of Davis S. Curtis, a daughter, Davenne June.

### MARRIED

In Bethel, Jan. 22, by Rev. M. A. Gordon, Dr. Milton S. Thompson of Portland and Mrs. Elizabeth Paige May of Wellesley, Mass.

### DIED

In Cumberland, Md., Jan. 14, Mrs. Hulda D. Woodbury, formerly of Norway, aged 95 years.

In Hanover, Jan. 17, Mrs. Hattie Twombly, aged 80 years.

In Lewiston, Jan. 18, Mrs. Edna Libby Stevens, wife of Frank Stevens of Bethel, aged 64 years.

In Lovell, Jan. 19, Mrs. Nettie Merrill, aged 67 years.

In Portland, Jan. 20, Mrs. Elizabeth Knight, wife of Ralph Knight of North Waterford, aged 33 years.

In Bar Mills, Jan. 21, Mrs. Nellie F. Wiley, wife of Dr. Arthur G. Wiley, aged 65 years.

In North Waterford, Jan. 21, John F. Lord, aged 81 years.

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